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CHANGE OF HOURS! ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JAN. 28, 1861. GEORGE PAGE, and THOS. COLLYER. GEORGE PAGE, leaves Alexandria at 47, 8, 10, 12, 21, 4 and 52 o'clock.

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The trips of the Collyer to Mount Vernon will be discontinued after Tuesday, the 29th inst. S. GEDNEY, Captains. S. BAKER,

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We have also in store a large stock of Hats and Caps, of the latest styles which we have just reexample at 2, P. M. Through tickets by this route We have also in store a large stock of Hats and ceived from the factories and which will be sold to Middleburg and Winchester. aug 31

CABINET, CHAIR, AND SOFA MANUFAC- days excepted,) at 7:20, TORY, No. 130 King street, Alexandria, Va. exandria at 1:55, P. M. -Having lately fitted up one of the handsomest and most spacious Warerooms in the city, for the FURNITURE BUSINESS, I respectfully invite public attention to my large stock of FURNI-TURE, which I am constantly increasing. Persons visiting our city will find it to their advan-

tage to give me a call, as the range of my GOODS, in respect to quality and price, is such as to sover the wants and views of all. My stock com mises Mahogany Sofas, Rocking, Cane and Wood Sent Sitting Chairs, Sideboards, Dressing Bureaus, (marble top and plain,) Marble Top and Plain Wash Stands, Marble Top Sofa, Card, Book, and Fancy Tables, Cottage Set, Bedsteads of all patterns, such as High, Fielding, French, Low-Post, Trundle Bedsteads, several patterns of Cottage Bodsteads; Hat Racks, Wardrobes, Looking Glasses, and a layre number of other articles embraced in the business.

Beds, Bolsters, Pillows, Mattresses, &c., constantly on hand. JAMES H. DEVAUGHN. oct 2-tf

for eash. All letters addressed to us, at this place, will receive prompt attention. Having bought the establishment, lately occupied by Millan & from Philadelphia, \$1; from New York, \$1,50. Grigsby, West end Duke street, and having refitted it to make it one of the most healthy and com- less weighing over 200 lbs. fortable Depot for NEGROES, we will receive them on board on the usual terms. PRICE & COOK.

aug 30-eotf N EGROES WANTED .- I wish to purchase any number of NEGROES, for which I will pay liberal prices. Those wishing to sell, will do well to call on me before selling, at my old stand, at West End, Alexandria, Va. JOSEPH BRUIN.

BROOMS! BROOMS!! BROOMS!!! TUST to think that I am determined to sell BROOMS to our merchants in Alexandria, Washington, and Georgetown, and that I will now

sell them 5 per cent, lower than they can be bought any where north of this place. L. HERRING, Royal-street, four doors south of King, Alex'a. DONNETS OF ENTIRE NEW SHAPES .- I D have on hand and am manufacturing daily, Velvet, Silk, Satin, and Mede Bonnets, of an eutirely new shape, to which I invite the attention of

the ladies. I have the above goods in Black, Blue, Brown, Green, Drab, Magenta and Soiferino; also, [dec 6] RICHARDS. ARDWARE AND HOUSEKEEPING AR- order. For terms ap TICLES at prices, to suit the times, at No. S8, drew Jamieson, esq. King street .- JOHN T. CREIGHTON is now salling at No. SS, King street, his entire stock of

goods at prices to suit the times. Great bargains, for eash. Call and see. jan 19 OUR FRIENDS WILL TAKE NOTICE, all I our accounts have been made off to January

1st, 1861, and distributed. It is very desirable SAUSAGE CUTTERS, NURSERY FEN-that they should receive immediate attention. DERS, GUNS, PERCUSSION CAPS, POW-We most respectfully request all that can possibly | DER FLASKS, HORSE SHOES, STOVE POLdo so to call and settle, thereby saving us the ISH, &c .- Wishing to reduce my stock, I will sell trouble of calling upon them. ASHBY & WOOD. jan 8

YOUR PRESENTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS I should be selected from OGDEN'S variety of useful HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES. See what he has. No charge for showing goods.

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ON and aster SATURDAY, January 12th, 1861, a TRAIN will leave Alexandria daily, for Lynchburg and the Southwest, connecting at Gordonsville with the Trains on the Virginia Central Railroad, for Richmond, Charlottesville, Staunton, &c., and with the Train on the Manassas Gap Railroad, for Woodstock, Mt. Jackson, &c. Through Tickets to LYNCHBURG, KNOX-VILLE, MEMPHIS, NASHVILLE, MOBILE, MONTGOMERY, and NEW ORLEANS, at the Ticket Office, corner of Duke and Henry streets.

Leave Alexandrin at 7.15, A. M., and arrive at Lynchburg at 3 40, P. M. Leave Lynchburg at 5.10, A. M., and arrive at Alexandria at 1.50, P. M. J. M. BROADUS, General Ticket Agent.

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ON AND AFTER Monday next, the freight trains of the Orange and Alexandria Reilroad, will leave Alexandria on Monday and Friday only, and return on Tuesday and Saturday. J. F. LATHAM, Agent Transportation, Orange and Alexandria R. R. Co.

FOR THE NORTH, WEST, and NORTHWEST. NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY. SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

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Franklin streets, Baltimore. JAS. C. CLARKE, Superintendent. JOHN T. RIGNEY, Assistant Superintendent.

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111, A. M., arriving at Alexandria 2, P. M., in market furnishes. time for immediate connexion with Washington and Baltimore. -FARE:-

To and from Winehester, \$3.25; Berryville, \$2; Leesburg, \$1.50. Intermediate points in proportion. W. BLYTHE, my 17-dtf General Superintendent.

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ADAMS' EXPRESS COMPANY INVITE the attention of the public to the facili-

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50 quarters prime New Bunch, new in store, and to which we invite the attention of the trada before ordering elsewhere. F. A. REED & CO.,

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MATS, CAPS. BONNETS, &c. FURS! FURS!! FURS!!!

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COLT'S REVOLVERS, improved pattern, at Agents prices, for sale at RICHARDS'. DOOR MATS of Rope, Manilla, Cocoa, Jute, Alicante, Inside Mats, Table Mats, for sale by JOHN OGDEN цеу 26

GROUND RAW-BONES. jy 26

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MISCELLANEOUS READING.

EXPLORATIONS IN EASTERN AFRICA. We mentioned a short time since that Captain Speke, a British officer, was conducting an expedition in that part of Eastern Africa nearly under the equator, for the purpose of ascertaining whether the source March, and ending on the first day of June, 1861, of the Nile is to be found in Lake Nyanza. A communication from Mr. Rigby, British Consul at Zanzibar, reports that the captain reached that place on the 17th of August .-English influence, the latter observes, has been very much increased there by the events of the last two years; and the Sultun of the country is a firm friend. Four thousand five hundred slaves, held by British Indian subjects, were recently emancipated by the Consul. Mr. Rigby speaks of the negroes of that part of the country as a goodnatured, docile race, which is very different

from the description given of them by Bur-

ton. The captain had dozens of volunteers

ready to accompany him, when the object of

his visit became known.

Dr. Roscher, a young German traveller, who left Zanzibar-for the interior in 1859. was murdered in March last, the evident object being plunder. He had no arms, save a pair of revolvers. The Sultan, on hearing of it, had the murderers arrested and executed. Another German, Baron Van der Decken, was preparing for a journey to the interior. The country as far as Lake Nyassa (Nyanza) is described as magnificent; but has been nearly depopulated through the slave trade. Most of those recently carried off have been from the west shore of the lake. Last year nineteen thousand slaves were imported through the custom bouse at Zanzibar, and it is said that the traffic has been on the increase all along that coast. The other imports and exports of Zanzibar last year exceeded eight millions of dollars, the principal exports being ivory, gum copal, and cloves. This trade is all the growth of a few years. Most of it is in the hands of British Indian subjects, who have settlements along the coast and far up in the interior. Mr. R. thinks the climate of Zanzibar is not so unhealthy as is represented; though from its excessive dampness it is very enervating. Last year the fall of rain was 16 7 inches; the extreme range of the thermometer was nineteen degrees .- Commercial Advertiser.

THE STAGE CROWN .- A strange affair, says a letter from Turin, has occurred in this city. The municipal council resolved to present King Victor Emmanuel, on his return, a gold circlet, representing oak and laurel leaves. But there was only six days to prepare one, and Italian workmen were not active enough to make it in so short a time. A Jew presented himself, and offered for six thousand francs, a magnificent crown which he had by him. His offer was accepted and the money paid; but lo! the discovery was afterwards made that the circlet in question had been bought at a sale Imported and Bottled by himself, put up for medi- of the effects of Fanny Ellsler, the celebratcinal use, with his certificate on the bottle; war- ed danseuse, and as proved by an inscription inside, that it was given to her after a performance at London, by an Englishman who was a fanatical admirer of her dancing. Judge of the effect thus created. Nothing Imported and Bottled by himself, the same as the else is talked of in the city.

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